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# Begich Announces July 4 Recess Schedule in Alaska Itinerary includes Bethel, Quinhagak, Seward, Fairbanks, Anchorage

U.S. Sen. Mark Begich today released his schedule for the July 4 Senate recess next week. Sen. Begich will be in several Alaska communities including Bethel, Quinhagak, Seward, Fairbanks, and Anchorage. The senator will attend a number of events and host meetings—some of which may be of interest to the media, including:

#### Monday, July 2 Bethel

Fishery Roundtable Discussion

Conversation about the fishery crisis along the Yukon and Kuskokwim Rivers with local leaders and fishery managers

8:45 - 10 am

Yuut Elitnaurviat Peoples Learning Center

#### Monday, July 2 Quinhagak

Community Meeting 2:30 – 4 pm Qanirtuuq Incorporated Office Building

Tuesday, July 3 Fairbanks

Fairbanks Chamber of Commerce Keynote speaker 12 noon Carlson Center Howard Luke Culture Camp - visit 2 pm Along the Tanana River

### Wednesday, July 4 Anchorage

July 4 parade participant 11 am Downtown Anchorage

Bureau of Land Management Alaska Homesteader Recognition Ceremony 1:45 pm Delaney Park Strip

#### Thursday, July 5 Seward

Tour of the Port of Seward with discussions and meetings around the plans and needs to expand the port. Meetings with city officials and others regarding infrastructure needs for Seward.

## Friday, July 6 Anchorage

Youth Employment in Parks (YEP) 11:30 am
Westchester Lagoon – join youth working at Westchester Lagoon as part of program started by Mayor Begich.

Media Availability 1:30 pm Anchorage office 510 L Street, Suite 750

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